



Friday, October 30, 2026

10:00 AM - 12:00 PM

4MLK, UM BioPark, 2nd Floor

4 N Martin Luther King Jr. Blvd., Baltimore, MD, 21201

AGENDA

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| 10:00 - 10:10 | Welcome and Introductions
<i>Jay Perman, MD, Chancellor, University System of Maryland, LSAB Chair</i> |
| 10:10 - 10:15 | Conflict of Interests Statement
<i>Jay Perman, MD</i> |
| 10:15 - 10:25 | Host Greeting
<i>Jane Shaab, Senior Vice President, UM BioPark, Associate Vice President for Economic Development, University of Maryland Baltimore</i> |
| 10:25 - 10:30 | Review and Acceptance of July 28, 2026 Meeting Minutes
<i>Jay Perman, MD</i> |
| 10:30 - 10:35 | Board Membership Retirements
<i>Jay Perman, MD</i> |
| 10:35 - 10:55 | Legislative Update
<i>April Doss, Deputy Secretary for Policy and Stakeholder Engagement, Maryland Department of Commerce</i> |
| 10:55 - 11:10 | Quantum Working Group Update
<i>Matthew Cimino, PhD, Senior Manager for Life Sciences, Maryland Department of Commerce</i> |
| 11:10 - 11:30 | <u>Commerce Life Sciences Updates</u>
Fall Events Review and Preview: United Arab Emirates and Qatar Visit, MedTech Conference, Ireland Mission, HLTH USA and Medica
<i>Ricardo Benn, Deputy Secretary for Industry, International and Innovation, Maryland Department of Commerce</i>
<i>Bradely Gillenwater, Manager for Life Sciences, Maryland Department of Commerce</i> |
| 11:30 - 11:50 | National Academies' Study: On Being a Scientist
<i>Alan Leshner, PhD, Chief Executive Officer Emeritus, American Association for the Advancement of Science</i>
<i>Michelle Masucci, PhD, Vice Chancellor for Research and Economic Development, University System of Maryland</i> |
| 11:50 - 11:55 | Public Comments/Discussion
<i>Jay Perman, MD</i> |
| 11:55 - 12:00 | Closing Remarks and Adjournment
<i>Jay Perman, MD</i> |